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Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
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Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

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—AND—

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TABLE ROOMS FIRST-CLASS

Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.

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Phœnix Fire Assurance COMPANY.

LOMBARD STREET AND CHARING CROSS, LONDON.

Established, 1782.

For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.

The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom.

Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.

Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent, au1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall

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TRADE MARK

THESE SPECTACLES ARE MANUFACTURED from "Minute Crystal Pebbles" melted together and are called Diamond on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

It is well known that spectacles cut from Brazilian or Scotch pebbles are very injurious to the eye because of their polarizing light.

Having been tested with the polariscope, the diamond lenses have been found to admit 15 per cent. less heated rays than any other pebble.

They are ground with great scientific accuracy, are free from chromatic aberrations, and produce a brightness and distinctness of vision not before attained in spectacles.

Manufactured by the Spencer Optical Manufacturing Company,

Sale by responsible agents throughout the Union.

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From whom they can only be obtained. No Pedlars employed.

The great demand for these spectacles has induced unscrupulous dealers to palm off an inferior and spurious article for the Diamond. Great care should be taken to see that the trade mark <> (which is protected by American Letters Patent), is stamped on every pair. se6

Jockey Club Saloon,

COLONIAL HOTEL.

THREE BILLIARD TABLES.

THE BAR IS PROVIDED WITH THE BEST Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

jy16 F. MARTIN, Manager.

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ASSETS, $8,000,000.

THE SOLE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY-HOLDERS.

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Under the Minimum Premium System of this Society a person can obtain from one-quarter to one-half more Assurance than he can in other offices under the Ordinary System, for the same Premium, at the same time having the solid security and liberal advantages afforded by this

OLD AND WEALTHY INSTITUTION.

T. ALLSOP & CO., AGENTS, VICTORIA. jy9

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR:

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

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THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M.P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

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3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, 3 Pall Mall, East, } London.
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.

COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

AGENTS IN VICTORIA.

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CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
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Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.

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This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.

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A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.

The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to

JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria,
General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

Standard Life Assurance Company,

Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh,

LONDON, } 82 King William street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)

THE REPORT of the Forty-eighth General Annual Meeting of the Company held in Edinburgh, 28th April last, can be had on application at the Company's Agency.

THE COMPANY has Divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

THE SURPLUS FUND divided amongst the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.

ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.

INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4,500,000.

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jy23 AGENTS, VICTORIA.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

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Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia And Washington Territory.

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THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y

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MARINE.

Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.
Agents.

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NOTICE.

Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night. oc1

Miscellaneous.

For Sale Cheap to Close a Consignment.

4 CLIPPER MOWERS,
1 WOOD'S MOWER.

EDGAR MARVIN, - - - - WHARF STREET.

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W. & T. Wilson,

CENERAL OUTFITTERS,

LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.

NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS, Scarfs, Collars &c.

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PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

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Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

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ARE NOW LANDING

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FROM LONDON.

HENNESSY'S ONE STAR BRANDY, IN CASE.

HENNESSY'S THREE STAR BRANDY IN CASE.

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DeKUYPER & SON'S GENEVA. IN GREEN CASES.

BEGG'S LOCHNAGAR WHISKY, IN QUARTER CASKS & CASES.

DUNVILLE'S IRISH WHISKY, IN QUARTER CASKS & CASES.

SHERRY AND PORT, IN QUARTER CASKS.

CLARET IN CASES, Etc., Etc.

All of which are offered to the Trade in quantities to suit.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,

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JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A. M.	Wednesday, 9 A. M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A. M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

HAYWARD & JENKINSON, Undertakers,

LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.

EX PRINCE ALFRED

HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT INVOICE of English and American

COFFIN FURNITURE AND Trimmings.

Of New and Improved Design, all of which are offered to the trade at Reduced Prices. mh7

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CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTest notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.

Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.

Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

G. D. A. GOULTER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,

And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Kneecaps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hands, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.

Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices

STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's. ja20 3m

Sylvester's OMINECA EXPRESS.

CARRYING THE MAIL AND CONNECTING with Barnard's Express, leaves Quesnelle on the arrival of the first Mail from Yale each month.

Saddle Horses for hire on application.

L. J. LEWIS, Messenger. E. SYLVESTER. my14w6m

Notices.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE EXISTing between John Parker and Wm. Owens, as Butchers, in Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be conducted by John Parker, who will pay all liabilities and to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.

JOHN PARKER,
Witness—C. W. HORTH. WILL. OWENS.
Victoria, July 17th, 1874. jy21

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh8

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Notice to Mariners.

A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high, built on float, has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.

The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three-quarters of a mile to one mile distant.

Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my12 2m

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS (ENDORSED TENders for grading Quebec street) will be received until Wednesday next, August 5th, at 7:30 p. m., for Grading Quebec street, from Oswego to Montreal St.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the City Surveyor's office, daily, from 10 to 4 o'clock.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Security required for the faithful performance of the work.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

W. LEIGH, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, 31st July, 1874. au2

MUNICIPAL.

Real Estate and Road Tax.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate and Road Tax for the Current Year are over due and payable at the office of the undersigned, Broad street. All persons liable to pay the said taxes are required to do so forthwith or proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

THOS. RUSSELL, Collector.
City Council Chambers, July 20, 1874. jy22

Municipal—Public Notice.

TAKE NOTICE THAT ALL OWNERS OR AGENTS of property in the City of Victoria, B. C., are hereby required to cause to be eradicated all thistles growing upon their lots during the season; and should the said owners or agents fail to comply with this notice, the provisions of the By-Law in such case made and provided, will be strictly enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

City Clerk's Office, 25th June, 1874. } je26 WM. LEIGH, C. M.C.

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

English & French Pianos

PARIS HARMONIUMS,

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

A Large Assortment of

Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.

Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.

J. BAGNALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 25 years experience. mh8

Plummer & Pagden AUCTIONEERS,

APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS COMMISSION AGENTS,

Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments.

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made up, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy4

DeWIEDERHOLD & Co.

COAL & WOOD MERCHANTS,

Coal Yard on Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co's wharf, Store street.

ORDERS LEFT AT MESSRS. T. ALLSOP & Co's Office, Government street cor. of Bastion; and W. J. JEFFREE'S corner of Government and Yates cor. or at the office on the Wharf, Store street, will promptly attended. ne8

A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS

mh15 And French Preserves.

MME. De MEUDON DANCOURT,

Pianist and Teacher of Music,

HAS OFFERS HER SERVICES TO THOSE in search of a musical education. Many years of successful experience as a teacher and performer on the Piano are a guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

Speaks English, German and French.

Residence, Kane street, between Blanchard and Douglas. je26

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SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 9TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Home Manufactures.

Perhaps the injunction "Do your own manufacturing," ranks next to "Grow your own bread." It is self-evident that every dollar's worth manufactured in the country is so much wealth retained. And not only so, but that retained wealth is employed in such a manner as tends to build up the industrial interests of the country and increase the demand for its natural productions, thereby relatively promoting the development of its natural resources—expanding and consolidating the father and foundation of all industry, Agriculture. This is, of course, based on the assumption that manufacturing can be carried on under conditions sufficiently favorable to bring the operation in accord with the well-understood laws of economics. For example: If it should cost two dollars to manufacture a spade which could be imported for one dollar, we do not pretend to say that the true interests of the country would be promoted by manufacturing it. Indeed, the natural law of trade would step in and say, no. But what we mean to say is this, that wherever the conditions are such as to enable the home-made to hold its own against the foreign, every legitimate influence should be brought to the aid of manufacture. In the present condition of this country, men are too apt to underrate the importance and assume the impracticability of home manufacture. It is so very convenient to buy what one needs and it is so natural to conclude that a new country like this cannot do its own manufacturing that it is really difficult to get men to think, or capital to believe. Of course, we do not mean to suggest for a moment that it would be possible for Columbia for many years to come, perhaps ever, to do the whole of her own manufacturing in accord with the laws of economics. Everything must have a beginning; and the injunction of some wise teacher, "despise not the day of small things," may not unfitly be applied here. But a thoughtful person might be surprised at the result of a careful enquire into the extent to which even now manufacturing could be advantageously carried on in this Province. Nor is the notion that "protection" is essential to manufacture correct. We have seen manufacture protected off the face of the earth. As a rule, Nature is probably the best protection. Pluck and Plod are her cousins. In a former article we endeavoured to show with what enormous advantage British Columbia (or rather Vancouver Island, for the Mainland has long done so) might manufacture flour. We might enumerate branches of manufacture which have been, are, or might be carried on to profit; but we shall be content for the present to direct attention to one branch which has been successfully established here, by way of illustration. The Albion Iron Works in this city are now doing a large and, we are glad to believe, profitable business. Indeed, we venture to think that a look through that extensive and complete establishment would surprise many persons living within the sight of the smoke of its furnaces and the sound of its steam whistle. An enumeration of the principle jobs now on hand may not be amiss: For the Lane & Kurtz Mining Company (Cariboo); two large and powerful 12 inch double-action pumps, with ten feet stroke, and provided with 240 feet of wrought iron piping each. These pumps are well worth inspection. For the Eleven of England Mining Company (Cariboo); a large water-wheel shaft and flanges for wooden wheel of enormous capacity; also, a 12 inch pump. For the Dominion Government (for stm. Sir James Douglas); a tubular boiler 9 feet in diameter, and 16 feet long; aslo a propeller shaft and extensive repairs to machinery. For Robertson & Carpenter (proprietors of new mills at Nanaimo); a 30 horse-power engine and boiler. For Capt. Millard (steamer Gem), a tubular boiler. For Mr. James Vanbramer (s m. Chinaman, Burrard Inlet); a tubular boiler. The total capital represented by these may safely be set down at $30,000. Now here is work on hand at one time, in one manufacturing establishment, which will be the means of retaining thirty thousand dollars in the country. And it is deserving of particular attention that two of these contracts (that for the Lane & Kurtz Company and that for the Dominion Government) have been taken over the head of foreign competition. In other words, the work is being done here because it was ascertained that it could be done cheaper. It has been demonstrated that, in this branch, home manufacture can compete successfully with foreign. All praise to Mr. Spratt for demonstrating the fact. British Columbia wants more Spratts. The same energy and perseverence which has enabled the Albion Works to triumph over foreign competition would also enable other branches of manufacture to do the same thing. But, of course, if Capital is permitted to remain rusting in bank vaults and if Enterprise continues to sit helplessly tweedling her thumbs and bemoaning the dullness of the times and the impossibility of successfully breasting the current of foreign competition, the country must remain depressed, for the drain upon its wealth, ever-flowing into the pockets of foreign Industry, must continue.

Defeat.

He took her hand and looked at her.
No sound did that deep stillness stir:
Even the weary, wandering rain
Had ceased to beat upon the pane;
Only about the perfect mouth
A sigh more faint than the faint south
Hovered a moment's space, and then
Died into nothingness again.

The words he spoke were brief and slow—
What could he say, she did not know;
What pulse of that impetuous soul
But owned her calm, serene control?
No need for him to test her heart
With cunning farce or verbal art;
Only to ask and wait her will,
And winning, losing, love her still.

Perhaps she wavered—ay, perhaps
The shadow of the cloud that wraps
The future from our questioning gaze
Let in some glimpse of after days,
Some hint of all she might possess
In that true spirit's tenderness,
If but her weaker life might move
Into the music of his love.

Perhaps! who knows? He only knew
The large grey eyes were dim with dew;
Saw only on the mouth's sweet bloom
The shadow of reluctant doom;
Felt only the sad, gentle word—
And then through the deep stillness heard
Once more the weary, wandering rain
Beat dull against the window pane.

An Aim.

Give me a man with an aim,
Whatever that aim may be,
Whether it's wealth, or whether it's fame,
It matters not to me.
Let him walk in the path of right,
And keep his aim in sight,
And work and pray in faith alway,
With his eye on the glittering height.

Give me the man who says,—
"I will do something well,
And make the fleeting days
A story of labor tell."
Though the aim he has be small,
It is better than none at all;
With something to do the whole year through
He will not stumble or fall.

But Satan weaves a snare
For the feet of those who stray,
With never a thought or care
Where the path may lead away.

RAYMOND SEWING MACHINES.—These favorite machines are easy to learn, durable and light running—and have all the newest fittings. They make a beautiful stitch and sew light and heaviest work. All who have purchased these machines testify to their excellence. "The Raymond Lockstitch Machines" are made in three sizes. To further recommend these machines a limited number will be let out on hire. A supply lately received by A. B. Gray, sole Agent in B. C.—Albion House, 31st July. 1874. **

THE VICTORIA BINDERY.—Books of all descriptions bound in elegant Turkey, Morocco or common sheep. Paper ruled to any pattern. Receipts numbered and perforated. Charts or Maps mounted on linen with rollers attached, or with cover suitable for the pocket.—R. T. WILLIAMS, at T. N. Hibben & Co's. **

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HIGHEST CASH PRICES

For Ladies' and Gentlemen's

CASTOFF CLOTHING,
SECONDHAND FURNITURE,
BOOKS, ETC.,

Parties not wishing to bring their articles to me will be waited upon at their residences. au9 2p

LOY HING,

STORE STREET, bet. Johnson and Cormorant Sts.

Manufacturer & Wholesale Dealer in

CIGARS.

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ASHCROFT FALL MEETING.

THE ASHCROFT ANNUAL

RACE MEETING

WILL BE HELD ON

Wednesday and Thursday the 7th and 8th of October.

ASHCROFT, August 3d, 1874. au9dw2

THEATRE ROYAL!

GREAT SUCCESS OF

MRS. FANNY MORGAN PHELPS

—AND—

Dramatic Company.

Tuesday Eve'g, Aug. 11th.

Will be presented the emotional play in five acts entitled

East Lynne,

OR THE ELOPEMENT.

LADY ISABEL / MADAM VINE } .... MRS. FANNY MORGAN PHELPS

With New Appointments.

MRS. PHELPS takes pleasure in announcing to the public of Victoria that she has secured the favorite Sensational Star

AMY STONE,

And the Favorite Comedian

Mr. H. E. STONE.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette - - - $1 00
Pit - - - - - - - - - - 50

No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats.
Box office open from 10 till 4 at the Theatre.
Doors open at 7:30; Curtain will rise at 8:15 p.m.
au9

New Advertisements.

TO LET.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD IN a private family. Apply at the COLONIST OFFICE. au8

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER

OTTER,

CAPTAIN.....H. G. LEWIS

Will leave for Fort Wrangel on or about Wednesday next, 12th inst.

Will call at intermediate ports on the way down.

No Freight will be received after 6 p.m. on Monday next.

All goods over the value of $100 must be covered by Consul's Certificates.

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. au8

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned will be received till noon of Friday, 28th August, for blasting and removing the "Beaver Rock" in Victoria Harbor. Security required. The Department does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, } Resdt. Engineer.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 7, 1874. } au10

LETTER LOST—ATTENTION!

A LETTER ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned was lost about two weeks ago while being carried from the Postoffice to Humboldt street, near the Catholic Church. As the letter contains information of great importance to me, and is of no value to anyone else, I shall esteem it as a great kindness if the finder will return it to THE COLONIST OFFICE.

MRS. MARGARET S. DOWD.
Victoria, Aug. 8, 1874. au8 2t*

Dissolution of Copartnership.

VICTORIA, August 6th, 1874.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Leopold Boscowitz, Joseph Boscowitz and J. D. Warren is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. D. WARREN,
LEOPOLD BOSCOWITZ,
JOS. BOSCOWITZ (per L.B.)

Witnessed by THOMAS EARLE. au7

MUNICIPAL.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS (ENDORSED TENders for Grading McClure and Collinson streets) will be received until Wednesday next, the 12th inst., at 7:30 p.m., for Grading and Blasting Rock on McClure and Collinson streets, from Humboldt to Vancouver streets.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the City Surveyor's office, daily, from 10 a.m. to 4 o'clock p.m.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Security required for the faithful fulfilment of contracts.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, 6th Aug., 1874. au7

NOTICE.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

MR. J. D. PEMBERTON, THE PROPRIetor of the land on the Cadboro Bay Road, where the Rifle Butts are placed, having objected to any further firing thereat,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the butts will be removed by the Militia Department as soon as possible and all firing thereat after this date is forbidden. There will be no firing at the expense and under the regulation of the Association at any range until further notice.

By direction of the Council of the Rifle Association.
VICTORIA, Aug. 6th, 1874. au7

BRITISH COLUMBIA

PIONEER SOCIETY.

WILL HOLD THEIR

Third Annual Picnic

—AT—

MEDANA'S GROVE,

ON SATURDAY, AUG. 22nd,

For the Benefit of the Family of the Late JAMES WILCOX,

For which occasion the Best Quadrille Band in the city has been engaged and a Spacious Platform for Dancing has been erected.

A Grand Tombola,

Will be drawn at 6 p.m., for which several Valuable Prizes will be offered. Tickets for Tombola 12½ cents each.

MOULLINET.

FOOT RACES FOR PRIZES.

The Grounds will be open at 12 o'clock. Dancing to commence at 1 o'clock. Refreshment and Liquor Stands will be on the grounds.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:

W. P. SAYWARD, | G. T SEYMOUR, | R. LEWIS,
E. GRANCINI, | H. PASSERARD, | A. ASTRICO,
F. G. RICHARDS, | JNO. STEPHENS, | G. RICHARDSON,
A. C. ELLIOTT.

FLOOR MANAGERS:

EDGAR FAWCETT, | JOSUA DAVIES, | E. HARRISON, JR.

ADMISSION—Tickets 50 cents; Children under 12 years, 25 cents.

Further particulars hereafter.

au6 EDGAR FAWCETT, Secty.

H. E. WILBY,

AUCTIONEER,

PRODUCE AND COMMISSION

MERCHANT.

HAVING RENTED THE COMMODIOUS building at foot of Yates street formerly occupied by P. M. Backus, is now prepared to undertake the sale or purchase of any goods on commission, and respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, assuring his friends that all business entrusted to his care will be properly and promptly attended to at moderate charges. au5 1m

BUNSTER'S FLOUR MILL.

MR. JAMES BRYDEN WILL START THE Flour Mill this month.

The MARKET PRICE

GOOD MILLING WHEAT.

Ground Feed, Bran & Shorts

FOR SALE AT THE MILL.

A. BUNSTER,
Johnson st., Aug. 1, 1874. au2 1mdw

Strayed—Five Dollars Reward.

A WHITE PONY WITH BLACK face, branded with a heart on one shoulder and a rope round neck, strayed on Saturday, July 18th. Whoever will bring him to the undersigned or TAI SOONG & CO., Cormorant street, or give information leading to his recovery, will receive the above reward.

AH CHONG,
au4 1mdw Beacon Hill.

TO EXCURSIONISTS.

DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS PASsengers and Excursionists will be taken in the O. S.S.Co.'s steamship CALIFORNIA, Capt. John Hayes, to

PORTLAND and BACK

The round trip for $20, including Meals while on board.

Tourists wishing to view the Magnificent Scenery of the North West Coast, can also be accommodated. They will be taken to

SITKA AND RETURN,

Including Board and Lodging while remaining at Sitka, $100.

For particulars apply to

J. P. GOODHUE
au4 Agent, Office at R. Bredrick & Co.'s.

Boys' Collegiate School

WILL ASSEMBLE ON MONDAY, 3d AUGust, at 9 a.m. au1

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY At the COLONIST OFFICE.

New Advertisements.

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LONDON, ONT., CANADA,

AFFORD the Highest Intellectual and Christian Education, for the sons and daughters of gentlemen, at very moderate charges. (The Colleges are a mile apart.)

President and Founder—THE RIGHT REV. I. HELLMUTH, D. D., D.C.L., Lord Bishop of Huron.

The Colleges are respectively supplied with an able staff of Experienced European Teachers.

For further particulars apply to the SECRETARY.

The Term begins September 2nd. au1

Official List of Letters

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT Victoria on the 1st August, 1874.

Persons calling for any of the Letters in this List will please say, "Advertised,"

A—Abbotsford, T
Anstey, F L
Askew, S B
Anderson, J
Arnt, J
Askwith, W C
B—Baker, Miss
Beck, W
Berceyer, Mrs
Barry, J
Barnes, Mrs
Bateman, J
Black, J
Beardsell, J T
Boelman, Miss F H
Booth, M J
Borde, H
Burnett, Mrs. G
Briggs, J
Breen, J
Brandaw, E A
Bourgain, M
Brown, E G
Beeshman, W
Bond, Mrs G
Briggs, T L
Booth, S J
C—Cambel, J C
Chancy F T
Casey —
Clendinin, S W
Columbia Lodge,
Callbreath, J C
Cameron, J
Cloud, Mrs. C M
Carter, P
Call, W M
Clawson, E C
Carr, J
Chectres H
Chadwick, T
Cattanack, J
Clemitson, Mrs
Cameron, Miss A D
Chater H
Cameron, J
Claus, H F H
Cranoelli P
Collis, E
Crichlow, T
Cox, J
Collowone, W
Cregan, F
Croft, T
Crosson, J
D—Donelan, P
Derham, A
Davis, R T
Davison, G
DeWsnap, J
Decause, E
Doane, A C
Deichemain, M
Donovan, C
Downes, R
Doyle, P
Dodd, M J
Dodd, J
Dunn, J
E—Elliot, J
Eixner, Mrs
Evans, B
F—Firguson, A C
Fitzelan, J
Fenton, W L
Fenny, A
Fiterre, J P
Forschler, A
Fried, T
Fox, G B
G—Grenory, W
Griffiths, Mrs S E
Grasy, S G
Grahamslaw, J
Green, Miss P
Goudy, W
Godding, —
Cribbell, J H
Goodridge, W
Galbraith, W
H Harris, J
Haggerty, R
Hawley R
Hawkins, L
Hawb, Mrs R
Hiley, P
Heal, D
Higman, —
Hill, J
Hawkins, G F
Hart M
Hogan, T
Holds, Mrs S
Holboman, S
Holman, H
Howatt, W M
Hussey, Mrs J M
Hoskings, J
Hughes, L M
I—Irvine, Miss M A
J—Johnson, W
Jones, G
Joleboy, P
James, R
Jhonson, E
K—Kennedy, B
Kieser, C
Kemp, H
L—Ladd, R J
Lewis, R J
Lamb, T F
Lesh, C C
Lindhard, Mrs C
Layard, Preres
Lowrie, C
Love, T
Lunblad, H H M
Luckey, G
M—Martin, J J
Mason, J
Mills, T J
Maye, A
Medana, P
March, W P
Mahoney, Mrs E
Moote, Mrs S
Murray, W E
Moffatt, J
Mulligan, A
Munger, Mrs
Morgan, W
Murphy, Mrs. P
Murray, Mrs J
Mowney, E
Macreedy, Rev H R
McKeon, Mrs
McDonell, H J
McAlester, S S
McKay, W
McIntosh, —
McCallough, T
McIntosh, J
McLeod, J
McDonald, W
McKay, Mrs H
McArthur, J
McDonell, Mrs M
McKillican, W D
McTaggart, —
McNaughton, A
McNeilly, W
McNamara, Miss M
McNeill, J
N—Nelson, M
Nicholson, J H
Noonan, M
Newton, E
O—Orton, H
Oliver, S
P—Payonney, J
Pappilian, Miss M
Pallisier, T
Perry, J F
Perpine, H
Patterson, W
Pelletier, J
Pritchard, J A
Pebyschler, G A
Partrick, M F
Porter, R
Pearce, P
Prothers, A
Patterson, W D
Peterie, D
R—Rechard, F
Richardson, T
Rhode, J
Rickard, Mrs. W
Ryder, C
Robson, F
Rowe, Mrs. J
S—Slater, J
Smythe, W
Smally, T
Sinclair, R
Smith, L
Simmonn, E
Smith, Mrs
Sharp, Mrs M
Smith, S
Shelton, L D W
Sere, J B
Smith, G F
Sheppard, H W
Sammon, D
Sabin, Miss M
Southey, J L
Stirton, J E
Sutherland, J
T—Therne, J O B
Thomson, Mrs J B
Tierney, W
Thomas, G
Taite, Mrs M
Timmerman, G B
Tranfield, G
Tucknield, F
V—Vienna, G
Victoria Lodge
W—Wamsley, F
Williams, A
Welsh, Mrs
Withers & Waller
Williamson, Mrs J
Wilkins, J D
White, A D
Wagner, J
Williams R
Welker, A H
Webster, H W
Wank, T N
Wann, Mrs O
Wright, J H
Wyllie, J
Wundal, G
Y—Yates & Douglas

au2 H. WOOTTON, P. M.

To Be Raffled.

A SINGER SEWING MACHINE (Complete) will be raffled at the Retreat Saloon when the list is filled. Due notice will be given.

my16 85 TICKETS $1 EACH.

Dominion Government Public Works.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned will be received until noon of 8th inst., for supplying Provisions to Officers and Crew of Dredger and Tug. Particulars to be obtained from Capt. Devereaux.

B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, } Resdt. Engineer.
Victoria, Aug. 3, 1874. } au4

R. B. THOMPSON,

DENTIST,

HAS RETURNED TO THIS CITY and may be found at his office, Langley street, near Yates street, (Upstairs in brick building) from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. au2

Dominion Government Savings Bank.

DEPOSITORS are requested to present their PASS BOOKS at the Office in Fort street, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1874.

JOHN GRAHAM, Manager.
Victoria, 31st July, 1874. au2

G. BLASS,

JAPANESE BAZAR,

DEALER IN

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES AND HOSIERY,

—AND—

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,

Cheaper than any other house in the City.

TEA, COFFEE, BUTTER & CHEESE a speciality.

Government street, opposite Theatre Royal, Victoria. au4

GEORGE'S MARKET,

JOHNSON STREET, next to Blum's Dry Goods Store,

DEALER IN VENISON

AND ALL KINDS OF

GAME IN SEASON.

au4

KIM WIN,

WASHING, IRONING & FLUTING

YATES St., opp. Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria.

HAS HAD 15 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN the best laundries in the United States upon the most difficult work. Satisfaction guaranteed at very Low Rates.

Victoria, Aug. 6th, 1874. au7 3m

New Advertisements.

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.

Liabilities.			Assets.	
Notes in Circulation		$105,696 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$134,182 89
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		35,950 71	Gold and Silver Bullion	40,048 09
Deposits not bearing interest	$617,687 33		Landed and other Property	35,849 04
Deposits bearing interest	72,811 56	690,498 89	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	130,955 78
			All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	741,600 00
Total amount of Liabilities		$822,145 60	Total amount of Assets	$1,082,634 80

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$1,490,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....8 ⅌ cent. ⅌ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared.....$ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend.....$ 109,800 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 28th July, 1874.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of July, 1874.
jy29 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$ 76,223 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,196 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	26,218 00	Gold Bullion	4,867 00
Deposits on call not bearing int	107,186 60	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	1,767 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	303,192 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	241,112 00
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	197,266 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$512,819 00	Total amount of Assets	$550,988 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year.....$250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.....$1,901,613

J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 30th June, 1874. JAMES CRAN, Act'g. Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of July, 1874.
jy9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

C. STROUSS & CO.

OFFER FOR SALE

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

HENNESSY PALE BRANDY, in Qrs. and Octaves;
do DARK do in Qrs. Very Fine, Vintage of 1846.
do do in Cases;
SAZARAC do in Qrs. and Octaves, Vintage of 1854.

WINES:

CHAMBERTIN BURGUNDY, in cases.
CHABLIS "
CLARET "
CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE "
CALIFORNIA HOCK, in cases.
do DRY MUSCATEL "
DUFF GORDON SHERRY, in qr. cks.

Sardines, in qtrs. and hlfs;
French Mustard;
French Peas
Dried Peaches, in boxes;
Teas—Congou, Oolong and Basket;
2,000 Grain Sacks.

Commercial Row, Wharf Street, Victoria.

June 17th, 1874. je18 1m

Wanted.

Wanted.

AN ACTIVE BOY TO LEARN THE DRY Goods business. Apply at

BROWN & WHITE'S
au6 Government street.

Wanted.

A GOOD HEWER—

Apply at the
jy31 AMERICAN HOTEL.

WANTED

A SITUATION AS GROOM, AND TO MAKE himself generally useful about a garden or house, is wanted by a young man recently arrived from England. Has excellent recommendations. Apply at this office. au2 1m

Wanted Immediately.

ABLE AND ORDINARY SEAMEN for the ship Lady Clarendon, bound to China. Apply to JER. NAGLE,
jy31 Shipping Master.

WANTED.

THE VANCOUVER COAL MINING AND Land Company (Limited) are in want of a

MEDICAL OFFICER.

Application for the position may be made in person or by letter at the Company's office, Nanaimo. au8

WANTED.

A PARTNER IN A GOOD PAYING BUSIness in the country. Capital required from $600 to $800; or will sell, or will pay 2 per cent. on the loan of $400 for 1 or 2 years. Apply at the

au7 COLONIST OFFICE.

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER FOR THE GRANville School, Burrard Inlet. Duties to commence in August. Salary $50 per month, together with a house rent free. Apply, stating qualifications, to

RICHD. H. ALEXANDER,
Secty Trustee Board.
Burrard Inlet, B.C., June 30, 1874. jy3

Wanted.

A NURSE GIRL—

Apply to MRS. INNES,
jy30 Naval Yard, Esquimalt.

RAFFLE.

FOR 2 FINE C. F. BREECH-LOADERS, (Hollis, Maker,) in case complete. Highest Throw first choice; Lowest Throw, second; at

David Hunter's,

GOVERNMENT ST., two doors from the Postoffice.

100 Chances at $1 each. jy15

ARTHUR VIPOND,

GUNSMITH

And MACHINIST,

Yates Street, Next door to Mr. Stewart, Gasfitter,

VICTORIA, B. C.

GUNS, PISTOLS, SEWING MACHINES, and Locks repaired with dispatch and at Reasonable Rates. ap4 1m

TO THE AFFLICTED.

Seven Seals, or Golden Wonder.

MR. PIERRE CLAIR,

AGENT FOR THE SALE IN BRITISH Columbia of this sovereign remedy, has removed from Yale and may be found on

Johnson street, Victoria, at the store formerly occupied by Moore & Co., Druggists.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE MEDICINE ON HAND.

my29 1m

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

A Rare Chance for Parties to Invest in a Business in the Country.

THE WELL-KNOWN HOTEL AND GEneral Store of LEON ECKSTEIN, now doing a thriving business, is offered for sale on account of the owner having to leave on important business.

The population of the district is rapidly increasing and the store enjoys a large Indian Trade.

From this date goods will be sold at REDUCED RATES FOR CASH!

Attached to the Hotel is a Farm, a beautiful Garden and Fine Orchard. For particulars apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Land Agent.
Or to LEON ECKSTEIN,
my23dw On the premises.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE at LOW PRICES the following stock:

100 Head of young Cows and 2 year old Heifers.

100 Head of Yearling Heifers.

The Above can be seen at the foot of Okanagan lake till the 1st of May, and on the 15th May at Kamloops.

THOS. ELLIS.
PENTICTON, Okanagan, March1, 1874. mh17dw.

Shipping.

Bark Mary Edey, from Liverpool.

THE BARK MARY EDEY, CAPT. Wright, from Liverpool, will commence discharging freight at the wharf of the undersigned on **Monday morning, 27th inst.**

Consignees are requested to call at the office, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p.m. each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

JANION, RHODES & CO.
Victoria, B.C., July 25, 1874. jy26

$15 Reward—South Saanich.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS REWARD WILL BE paid by me to any person giving such information as will lead to the conviction of the scoundrel or scoundrels who poisoned my dogs, one on Sunday night, July 12th, and the other on Tuesday night, July 14th.

G. S. BUTLER,
jy17dw South Saanich.

Strayed—$5 Reward.

A BROWN PONY, WITH WHITE spots on saddle place, branded No. 2 on one shoulder. Whoever will bring him to the undersigned, or give information leading to his recovery, will receive the above reward.

jy25 JAMES WARD, Beacon Hill.

THE FOLLOWING

IS AN

EXTRACT FROM A LETTER

dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitan of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—

"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly to enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.

"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."

To the Proprietors of

NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London.

jy31w

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting under the name and style of Rothschild & Co., doing business at Port Townsend, W. T., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. D. C. H. Rothschild, of Port Townsend, W. T., is empowered to collect all outstanding accounts and notes due the late firm, and will pay all accounts and notes owing by said firm.

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ,
D. C. H. ROTHSCHILD.

Signed in Victoria, July 27, 1874.
Signed in Pt. Townsend, July 31, 1874. au2 1m

Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 9TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

MARRIED.

At Holy Trinity Church, New Westminster, B.C., on the 5th inst., by the Ven. the Archdeacon of Columbia, Valentine Blacklock, elder surviving son of the late Wm. Tait, Esq., of Greenhithe, Kent, England, to Martha, youngest daughter of the late Geo. Glyde, Esq., of Whitechurch, Canencorum, Dorset, England.

At New Westminster, on the 4th inst., at the residence of Mr. T. Forrester, by the Rev. Mr. Russ, Mr. David Lang, chief officer of the steamer Onward, to Miss Mary Ann Irvine, both of Victoria.

The Late Boat Accident.

We are glad to know that the Street Committee, through Councillor Morton, for the safety of the public, have notified Mr. Jones to provide proper gangways with hand rails to lead from the shore to the floats at the James Bay Bridge boat landing; and also to have said landing properly lighted at night. This action is taken in consequence of the recent accident, whereby the American and Belgian Consuls came within an ace of losing their lives while debarking at the float. We are also glad to hear that neither of the gentlemen referred to is suffering any ill effects from the accident, the sensational paragraph in the Government organ yesterday (the organ did not hear of the accident until after the story had been told by THE COLONIST,) to the contrary notwithstanding.

SHAMEFUL.—Several months ago the ferry cable across the Fraser at Lillooet broke, and ever since the ferry has been in disuse, to the very great inconvenience of the people who have occasion to cross. The ferry is a Government one, and the new cable to replace the broken one has been lying several weeks at Yale, on account of a difference of one cent a pound about which the Chief Commissioner has ever since been higgling with the packers! Could anything possibly be more disgraceful? In the estimation of the Chief Commissioner the convenience of a large section of country is less than a cent a pound freight upon the ferry rope!

EXTREMES MEETING.—Last week we announced that Mr. George Baker, who attacked the Chief Commissioner in several letters, had been appointed Superintendent of Roads and Bridges. A correspondent, to-day, informs the public that "Coquehalla," whose fulsome praise of the Lands and Works Department has been copied by the organs as an evidence of popular feeling on the Mainland, is actually an employe of that Department at Hope! Thus do extremes meet—the man who writes down Beaven, and the man who writes him up!

KOOTENAY.—Mr. Wardle, Mail-carrier, arrived last evening with a mail and express. On Perry Creek the Robert and Montgomery Companies are doing well. On the same creek and on the Mojoie Chinamen are making from $4 to $6 a day. McMahon's packtrain was met going in from Walla Walla. Galbraith Bros. are building a sawmill at Joseph's Prarie. The roads are in good order. Gold diggings have been discovered on Salmon River in the Colville County. Mr. Ellis, with 66 head of cattle for Victoria, was passed on the road.

THE shooting for Capt. Lang's Cup took place yesterday. Only the members of Capt. Lang's company fired. Private Newberry was the winner. Following is the score:

NAMES.	YDS. 200	400	500	600	TOTAL.
Private Devereaux	15	7	8	0	30
Private Soar	11	7	2	6	26
Sergt. Mallandaine	12	6	3	0	21
Private Robinson	12	10	0	4	26
Private Homfray	11	9	13	6	38
Corpl. Woollacott	12	14	7	3	36
Sergt. Wilson	15	15	3	4	37
Private Newberry	12	16	17	11	56
Private Kennedy	15	15	11	6	47
Captain Roscoe	14	10	4	6	34

SUMASS.—The haying season is nearly over, and the grain harvest is commenced....Recent rains have somewhat hindered, but finer weather will, it is hoped, give a successful harvest....The Trunk road is progressing....The freshet has subsided and mosquitoes are growing less....Labor is more scarce than ever, and Indians are paid unusually large wages.

THE steamer Enterprise, with 48 head of cattle, 763 boxes canned salmon and the following passengers, arrived from New Westminster yesterday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Neufelder, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Pixton, Misses McNeil, Miss Peers, Miss Mouat, Father Harris, Rev. McGregor, H. Nelson, G. J. Findlay, Wm. Dalby, W. B. Wilson, M. Michaud, P. Arnaud, G. Wardle, H. Gilmore, L. Oppenheimer, Mrs. Funk.

ASHCROFT RACES. — Messrs. Cornwall have arranged to have the Ashcroft Annual Race Meeting on Wednesday and Thursday, the 7th and 8th of October. It is said that these races will be more than commonly interesting, as a large number of fine animals will be put in training for the event.

SUMAS—WESLEYAN MISSION SABBATH SCHOOL.—There was a large and respectable audience at the W. M. Church on Thursday night to listen to Rev. T. Derrick, who delivered his celebrated lecture on "Enthusiasm." A. C. Wells, Esq., J. P., occupied the chair and a liberal financial result aided the funds of the Sunday School.

DEATH FROM FOUL AIR.—Felix Dovast, a French Canadian, was killed in a shaft on Conklin Gulch, Cariboo, a few days ago, by foul air. He was lowered into a shaft, and an hour afterwards was found lying dead at the bottom.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—The creditors of Mr. Richard Becher, late of the Police force, will please call on Mr. Peter Steele, Bastion street, on Tuesday, August the 11th, present their accounts and receive the amounts due them. ***

NICOLA LAKE CATTLE.—Forty-eight head of splendid cattle for F. Reynolds and Stafford & Goodacre, from the ranch of Mr. Gilmore, Nicola Valley, arrived yesterday by the Enterprise.

CANNED SALMON.—Findlay, Durham & Brodie had 763 cases of canned salmon on board the Enterprise from Deas' Fishery.

Cariboo.

On William Creek the old Watson claim is paying 150 oz. a week; the Black Jack 40 to 50 oz. daily. Several other hydraulic claims paying well.

On Conklin Gulch Brodie & Co. are taking out good pay; Ferguson Co. 14 oz. to the set of timbers. White Pine Co. bottomed shaft, finding good prospects.

The claims on the North Fork of Quesnel and Cedar creek are paying very well this season. There are about 350 Chinamen in that section of the country.

On Burns' Creeks several claims are paying. Old Dominion $100 a day to two interests. Half of this claim was sold recently for $1,500.

On Lightning Creek there is a good deal doing. The Eldorado Co. have struck a good thing where the pay comes out in the flat, and are making an ounce a day the hand with rocker. Point Co. taking out from 30 to 45 oz. a day.

A meeting of persons desirous of joining the company to be organized for the purpose of prospecting the deep ground on Cunningham Creek has been called.

The Fire Brigade were arranging for their annual picnic on the 11th inst.

Lower Fraser.

[From the Mainland Guardian.]

The Hyack Fire Company have notified the City Council of New Westminster that unless they "bleed," the "Fire King" will go no more out.

Mr. Tait (Postmaster) was married and serenaded on Wednesday.

The road steamer purchased by Mr. Rogers, Burrard Inlet, and employed in the logging business, answers admirably.

THEATRE ROYAL.—There was a splendid house last evening, the occasion being a well deserved compliment to Mr. Simms, for whose benefit the performance took place. In the comedy of "Cool as a Cucumber," Miss Lizzie Morgan and Mr. Simms carried off the palm for good acting. The interlude was very good, Mr. Crowell, in "Woman's Rights" was original and amusing, and Miss Pixley sang and danced with great sweetness and grace. The laughable burlesque of "Cinderella" followed, and was well presented. Mrs. Phelps' "Prince" was a graceful piece of acting; her songs were all capital and the "points" of jokes and puns were made clear to every mind. Mr. Simms played a female character (Clorinda) splendidly and kept the audience convulsed with laughter. Miss Morgan as Cinderella was very charming and amusing. Miss Pixley, Mr. Dudley, Mr. Crowell and Mr. Belasco are severally entitled to great praise for their excellent acting.

GLOOMY.—It is rumored that bad news has been received at James Bay from London, and that Ministers are greatly depressed in consequence. The nature of the intelligence will probably be made known in a day or two, that is if the Ministers are disposed to trust the organ which they pass a good deal of their time in denouncing, and declaring that, were they not afraid of DeCosmos, they would disown it.

QUEER ADVENTURE.—From the deck of the steamer Victoria, on the Upper Fraser, when near Alexandria, a few days ago, was discovered a black bear swimming across the river. The boat was put about, the bear headed off and lassooed from the guards. He was then hauled up and despatched with an ax. The passengers pronounce bear steaks good eating.

THE trail from Cowichan to Victoria is impassable. A settler started on horseback to come to Victoria a few days ago. Before proceeding far he maimed his horse and nearly lost his own life, and had to return. The trail, it would appear, has not been "cut out" this year.

KINAHAN'S L. L. WHISKY.—This most delicious old mellow spirits is the very Cream of Irish Whiskies, is unrivalled, perfectly pure, and more wholesome than the finest Cognac Brandy.—Note the Red Seal, Pink Label, and Cork, branded "Kinahan's L.L."—Findlay Durham & Brodie, Agents. ***

THE MARY EDEY. — This vessel has nearly finished discharging her freight for Victoria consignees. In the early part of next week she will be sent round to Esquimalt to discharge naval stores.

THE BEAVER.—The Hudson Bay Company's steamer Beaver, having been put in complete repair, took a spin round the harbor yesterday. She will be used as a tow boat.

THE Stephens and Jane party of surveyors have surveyed into townships about 30 miles of Nicola Lake Valley, and are now making their way towards Kamloops.

THE PIONEER PICNIC has been postponed till Saturday the 22nd with a view to affording more general facilities for attendance. The Committee are making very complete arrangements.

THE British Parliament was prorogued yesterday. We believe we are correct in saying that Mr. Walkem was not heard at the Bar of the House of Commons.

CLERK OF THE WORKS.—Mr. James G. Mann will take charge of the Dominion Public Works in this District from tomorrow.

TUG GEORGIA.—Mr. T. H. Day has been appointed engineer of the tug Georgia.

Public Market.

EDITOR COLONIST.—Agitation in a good cause is a good thing, but prompt action is still better. You may write about the advantages of and urgent need for a public market, and I may do the same till doomsday, and it may all terminate in smoke unless some decided step or action be taken in connection therewith.

What I would suggest is, that the City Council be memoralized to move in the matter at once, as also, to reconsider their late decision with reference to the appropriation—or rather misappropriation—of certain funds, now at their disposal, in the purchase of a site for a City Hall; and that said funds be appropriated in the establishment or erection of a Public Market. I think, that such a memorial would receive the names and support of all having the prosperity of our city at heart.

OBSERVER.

Drag the Touters to the Front!

EDITOR COLONIST:—I perceive that you are attacked by a correspondent of the "Standard" over the "nom de plume" of "Casual." As the gentlemanly correspondent is one of a class (unfortunately too numerous in this Province) of paid Government touters, it is but right that he and others of his ilk should be dragged to the front. The "Standard" correspondent, "Cassual," is the same person who writes to the other pap-fed organ (the New Westminster "Herald") over the name of "Coquehella." He is a gentleman who, after sundry financial arrangements, has been enabled to retire on a handsome competency to his quiet residence at Hope. Lately (to fill spare time) he has taken to scribbling, and as one organ of the Ministry does not afford scope enough for his gigantic efforts he writes for two, but over different signatures; thus attempting to pull the wool over the eyes of the public and convince them that the town of Hope contains, in a population of "seven" whites, two men of sufficient talent to write newspaper articles, and that both of these talented persons agree in supporting the local Ministry. "Coquehella" in the "Herald," and "Casual" in the "Standard," has been loud and prolonged in praise of the Lands & Works Department, and his last effusion in the latter reads thusly:

"There is no necessity for me to defend the Lands & Works Department, and it is but justice to say that whatever the shortcomings of the Local Government may be, the Lands & Works Department can certainly claim our well merited praise."

Beautiful this; is it not? But what will your readers say when they know that this gentleman touter is at present actually in the employ of the same much-praised Lands & Works Department? This is nearly equal to Mr. F's (of the same department) barroom blowing; but what won't some people do when a few spondulicks are in sight?

This gentleman's blowing is pretty good, particularly when he gets off the following to the listening crowd: "I have no vote, being a foreigner; but I can talk, and I can write." And his talking and writing ability has procured him a billet under the Local Government! Of course he will continue to blow for the Lands & Works Department; but the public know the reason why,

YOU BET.

A Question.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Is the Hon. T. B. Humphreys the accredited agent of the Local Government? Kindly answer.

A FARMER.

LILLOOET, Aug. 4th, 1874

[*Quien Sabe.*—ED. COL.]

ANECDOTE OF SYDNEY SMITH.—The thing occurred in Edinburg, when Jeffrey, Brougham, Sidney and the rest of that brilliant constellation of men of genius when they were shedding so great a lustre upon "Auld Reekie" and the rest of the world. There was at the time a literary pretender and bore in Edinburgh, whose everlasting subject of discourse was "The North Pole," and whose delight it was to inflict his theme upon every patient listener. He met Jeffrey in the street one day, and after the usual salutation he at once introduced his favorite subject. "D—n the North Pole," vociferated Jeffrey, and extricating himself from the bore's grasp, pursued the even tenor of his way. The former, wincing under Jeffrey's abrupt treatment, also went on his way, when, encountering the good-natured Sidney, he related to the latter (with much apparent disgust) what Jeffrey had said. "Ah! (says Sidney) I wouldn't mind it. We all know Jeffrey. You will hardly believe it, but in a conversation I had with Jeffrey, the other day, he actually spoke disrespectfully of the equator."

"SHORT" OF PHYSICIANS.—There are in France cities of 15,000 inhabitants which have not one single physician. There are cities of 20,000 inhabitants which have but one physician, and he is not a graduate of a medical school. There are always posted in the arcade of the Paris Medical School the names of fifteen or twenty towns or villages which have no physician, and wish for one. Lille is a city with a population of 200,000 souls; it contains only forty-three physicians. Roubaix is a city of 76,000 souls; it contains only eight physicians. The countries in which there are fewest physicians are the countries in which the per centum of mortality is the highest.—"Paris Letter."

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers. ***

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. ***

NO ONE should be without one of the most useful little instruments ever invented. The "LITTLE GEM," for marking linen, cards, books, &c., &c. Each name is set up in type and can be changed in such a manner that one instrument, with a few extra type, will suffice for a whole family. For sale at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s, Government street. ***

Paragraphs.

The number of female preachers now occupying the pulpit statedly or as supplies is put at thirty-eight,

The most costly Protestant church in America is in process of erection for a Presbyterian society in New York; it will cost $900,000.

An article in a New York paper gives the number of churches within the city limits at about 350, which allows one church to every 2,857 inhabitants.

At Oberlin College the feminine students reach as high a standing in the classes as do the young men. And they are said to endure hard study without losing health at all.

The compliments paid by the Pope to the American Government and nation at his last reception has revived the idea that he is turning his thoughts towards the United States as a place of refuge.

A man in Washingion county, Tennessee, has a cow which has given by accurate weight 2040½ pounds of milk in thirty days. She is an Ayrshire breed, and the smallest amount given in one day was 57 pounds.

The cathedral now being built in Fifth avenue, New York, will be the most costly marble edifice on the American continent. It is expected that at the present rate of progress 20 or 30 years will elapse before it is finished, although a portion of it will soon be completed and ready for use.

The astronomers can't agree about the comet; for while Professor Parkhurst says its tail will be nearly 25,000,000 miles long, and reach within a million and a half miles of the earth, Professor Safford, of Chicago, says it won't measure over 5,000,000 miles, nor come nearer than 21,000,000 miles.

The illiterate whites are four times more numerous in proportion to population in the South than in the North. This is the estimate of the Detroit "Tribune," which says, in connection with this fact, that in Alabama, for instance, with a population of 521,384, here are 92,059 whites over ten years old who cannot write.

The editor of the Macon "Telegraph" reports that students of the colored university at Atlanta have proved that the Negro can learn, and even become proficient in the branches embraced in the usual curiculum of colleges, which is an unusual concession for a Southerner to make. The annual cost to every pupil in this institution amounts in the aggregate to but $17 per month,

A fresh cargo of antiques from Ephesus has arrived at the British Museum. Among them are a lion's head, from the cornice of the last temple; two lion's heads, more ancient, from former temples; a boar's head; more fragments of the archaic frieze; a large fragment of one of the acroteria from one of the pediments; one or two more fragments of sculptured drums and columns, and other objects.

The last of the broad-gauge on English railways has come, in the conversion by the Great Western Company of all of their south-western lines to the narrow (or common) gauge. On one Thursday evening every train was turned into its appoidted depot, where carriages and engines will be broken up, and in three days thereafter these routes were all relaid and the new rolling stock upon them. The new narrow-gauge of this country has not yet been experimentally known in England, where as here, 4 feet 8½ inches is the regular thing.

The statistics collected by Dr. Chailie, a distinguished physician of New Orleans. prove the mortality of the Negro population to be greater than the whites, except during the yellow fever epidemics. This, however, is not exceptional, as it is equally true of Charleston, Washington, and Baltimore. In New Orleans, the mortality report of the colored children under two years of age is enormous, when compared to the mortality of the white children. These facts cast shadows before as to the future of the two races.

A diamond, said to be the largest yet discovered in the diamond-fields of the Cape, is at present in the hands of the firm of Costor & Co., of Amsterdam, by whom it is being cut and polished. The stone weighs about two hundred and ninety carats, and is of the purest water. Some months will probably elapse before the diamond is finished. Although it is impossible to estimate the exact value of the gem while still in the rough state, it is believed that should the stone when finished realize the expectations formed of it, its value will be at least $100,000.

The Washington organ of the Administration, the "National Republican," is out once more in defense of a third term. It argues that if continuous service in Congress enhances the usefulness of a member, it follows that there if "a strong reason for retaining for 12, 16, 20, or even 24 years, the services of an Executive who may have each successive term of his past service proves more efficient, who is still in the prime of life and vigor of manhood and intellect, whose integrity is spotless, whose patriotism is ardent and unflagging, whose fitness for the position has been in every way increased by the experience of the past, who still cherishes the profound respect for the popular will and bows to its behests with the same abnegation of self as when first chosen to administer the government.

MRS. M. M. JAMIESON has received by last steamer Butterick & Co.'s celebrated patterns, comprising the latest styles of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Garments of every description.—View and Broad streets, Victoria. ***

Henry IV. of France.

Some of his Loves and Some of his Follies.

The love-stricken Henry, then confined to his bed with the gout, sent for the chosen husband of the beautiful Margaret.

"Bassompierre, my friend," said the aged King, as the youthful lover knelt before him at the bed-side. "I have become, not in love, but mad, out of my senses, furious for Mlle. Montmorency. If she should love you, I ahould hate you. If she should love me, you would hate me. Tis better that this should not be the cause of breaking up the course of our good intelligence, for I love you with affection and inclination. I am resolved to marry her to my nephew, Prince of Conde, and to keep her near my family. She will be the consolation and support of my old age, into which I am now about to enter. I shall give my nephew, who loves the chase a thousand times better than he does the ladies, one hundred thousand livres a year, and I wish no other favour from her than her affection.

It was 8 o'clock of a black Winter's morning, and the tears, as he spoke, ran down the cheeks of the hero of Ivry, and bedewed the face of the kneeling Bassompierre. The courtly lover sighed and—obeyed. He renounced the hand of the beautiful Margret, and came daily to play at dice with the King at his bed-side, with one or two other companions.

And every day the Duchess of Angouleme, sister of the constable, brought her fair niece to visit and converse with the royal invalid. But for the dark and tragic clouds which were gradually closing around that eventful and heroic existence, there would be something almost comic in the spectacle of the sufferer making the palace and all France ring with the howlings of the grotesque passion for a child of fifteen, as he lay helpless and crippled with the gout.

One day, as the Duchess of Angouleme led her neice away from their morning visit to the King, Margaret, as she passed by Bassompierre, shrugged her shoulders with a scornful glance. Stung by this expression of contempt, the lover who had renounced her, sprang from the dice table, buried his face in his hat, pretended that his nose was bleeding, and rushed frantically from the palace.

Two days long he spent in solitude, unable to eat, drink, or sleep, abandoned to despair and bewailed his wretched fate, and it was long before he could recover sufficient equanimity to face his lost Margaret and resume his place at the King's dice-table. When he made his appearance he was, according to his own account, so pale, changed and emaciated that his friends could not recognize him.

The marriage with Conde, first Prince of the blood, took place early in the Spring. The bride received magnificent presents and the husband a pension of 100,000 livres a year. The attentions of the King became soon outrageous and the reigning scandal of the hour. Henry discarded the gray jacket and simple costumes on which he was wont to pride himself, paraded himself about in perfumed ruffs and glittering doublet, an ancient fop, very little heroic, and much ridiculed. The Princess made merry with the antics of her royal adorer, while her vanity at least, if not her affection, was really touched, and there was one great round of court festivities in her honor, at which the King and herself were ever the central figures. But Conde was not at all amused. Not liking the part assigned to him, thus skillfully arranged by his cousin-king, never much enamored of his bride, while highly appreciating the 100,000 livres of pension, he remonstrated violently with his wife, bitterly reproaching the King, and made himself generally offensive. "The Prince is here," wrote Henry to Sully, "and is playing the very devil. You would be in a rage, and ashamed of the things he says of me. But at last I am losing patience, and am resolved to give him a bit of my mind." He wrote in the same terms to Montmorency. The constable, whose conduct throughout the affair was odious and pitiable, promised to do his best to induce the Prince, instead of playing the devil, to listen to reason, as he and the Duchess of Angouleme understood reason.

Henry had even the ineffable folly to appeal to the queen to use her influence with the refractory Conde. Mary de Medici replied that there were already thirty go-betweens at work, and she had no idea of being the thirty-first.

Conde, surrounded by a conspiracy against his honor and his happiness, suddenly, one night, carried off his wife and fled the country.

Intelligence reached the King soon after, and he sent at once, in the dead of night, for the Duc de Sully. In reply to the remonstrance of the Duc, the messenger said: "The King said you would be very angry, but there is no help for it. Come, you must, for the man you know of has gone out of the country, as you said he would, and has carried away the lady on the crupper behind him."

The two proceeded straightway to the Louvre, and were ushered, of all apartments of the world, into the Queen's bed-chamber. Mary de Medici had given birth only a few days before to an infant, Henrietta Marie, future Queen of Charles the First of England. The room was crowded with ministers and courtiers—Villeroy, the Chancellor, Bassompierre and others being stuck against the wall at small intervals, like statues, dumb, motionless, scarcely daring to breathe. The King with his hands behind him, and his gray beard sunk on his breast, was pacing up and down the room in aparoxysm of rage and despair.

"Well," said he, turning to Sully, as he entered, "our man has gone off and carried everything with him. What do you say to that?"

The Duke, beyond the boding "I told you so" phrase of consolation which he was entitled to use, having repeatedly warned his sovereign that precisely this catastrophe was impending, declined that night to offer advice. He intended on sleeping on it. The manner in which the proceedings of the King at this juncture would be regarded by the Archdukes Albert and Isabella—for there could be no doubt that Conde had escaped to their territory, and by the King of Spain, in complicity with whom the steps had unquestionably been taken—was of the greatest political importance. For this reason a court intrigue, which history, under other conditions, might justly disdain, assumes vast proportions, and is taken quite away from the scandalous chronicle which rarely busies itself with grave affairs of state.

Watching the Dead.

A gentleman now living in Edinburgh, but formerly a resident of the Highlands, and well versed in its superstitions and folk-lore, sends the Inverness "Courier" the following notes from his commonplace book on the curious belief of the Highlanders in "Faire Chlaioth," or watching the dead:

"In many parts of the Highlands it is believed to this day that the last person buried has to perform the duty of sentinel over the churchyard, and that to him the guardianship of the spirits of those buried before is in some degree committed. This post he must occupy until a tenant of the tomb releases him. It is not esteemed an enviable position, but one to be escaped if possible; consequently, if two neighbors die on the same day, the surviving relations make great efforts to be first in closing the grave over their friend. I remembered an old nurse, who was mourning the death of a sweet girl she had reared, exclaiming with joy, when she heard, on the day after her funeral, of the death of a parishioner; "I thank God my dear darling will have to watch the graves no longer!" A ludicrous but striking illustration of this strange notion occurred some years ago in the parish of A——. An old man and an old woman, dwelling in the same township, but not on terms of friendship—for the lady, Kate Ruadh, was more noted for antipathies than attachments—were both at the point of death. The good man's friends began to clip his nails, an office always performed just as a person is dying. He, knowing that his amiable neighbor was, like himself, on the verge of the grave, roused himself to a last effort and exclaimed: "Stop, stop; you know not what use I may have for all my nails in compelling Kate Ruadh to keep Faire Chlaidth in place of doing it myself." In the statistical account of Scotland, xiv., 210, Parishes of Kilfinichen and Kilviceuen, County of Arnvil, we read: "The inhabitants are by no means superstitious, yet they still retain some opinions handed down by their ancestors, perhaps from the time of the Druids. It is believed by them that the spirit of the last person buried watches round the churchyard till another one is buried, to whom he delivers his charge." In the same work, xxi., 114, it is said: "In one division of the country, where it is believed that the ghost of the last person buried kept the gate of the churchyard till relieved by the next victim of death, a singular scene occured when two burials were to take place on the same day. Both parties staggered forward as fast as possible, to consign their respective friend to the first place to the dust. If they met at the gate, the dead was thrown down until the living decided by blows whose ghost should be condemned to porter it." It was the duty of the spirit of the last person interred to stand sentry at the graveyard gate from sunset until the crowing of the cock every night until regularly relieved. This, sometimes, in thinly inhabited parts of the country, happened to be a tedious and severe duty; and the duration of the "Faire Chlaidth" gave the deceased's surviving friends much uneasiness. About thirty years ago (1794) a young man had an interview with the ghost of a neighbor's wife while she watched at the gate of the old Laggan churchyard. She was clothed in a comfortable mantle of snow-white flannel, adorned with red crosses, and appeared now, though a very old woman at decease, in the full bloom of youth and beauty. She told him she enjoyed the felicity of Flathinnis, and they exchang- snuff-mulls. She directed him to a hidden treasure, and desired that it might be added to the fortune of her daughter, who, she said, was to be married on a certain day, which she named, and strange to say, though the girl was not then courted, she became a wife on the day foretold.

LIFE INSURANCE.—Before insuring, compare the rates of other first-class companies with those of the Scottish Amicable Mutual Life Assurance Society, established in Glasgow fifty years ago and having a capital of $8,000,000.—T. ALLSOP & Co. Agents, Government street, Victori ***

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REMOVAL.—*H. SHORT, Gunmaker, has removed to Occidental Building, Fort Street, opposite Scotch House.* ***

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The furnishing of all materials, labor, instruments and everything necessary to put the line in operation.

The maintenance of the line for a period of five years after its completion.

In the Wooded Sections the land to be cleared to a width of 132 feet or such greater width as may be necessary to prevent injury to the telegraph from fires or falling trees.

Distinct proposals to be made for each of the following sections; such proposals to state the time when the party tendering will undertake to have the telegraph ready for use in each case:

(1) Fort Garry to a point opposite Fort Pelly, about 250 miles.

(2) Fort Garry to the bend of the North Saskatchewan, about 500 miles.

(3) Fort Garry to a point in the longitude of Edmonton, about 800 miles.

(4) Lac La Huche, or other convenient point on the existing telegraph system in British Columbia to Fort Edmonton, about 550 miles.

(5) Fort Garry to Nipegon, Lake Superior, about 420 miles.

(6) Ottawa to Nepigon, Lake Superior, about 760 miles.

The above distances are approximate. They are given for the general guidance of parties desiring information. Any increase or diminution in the ascertained mileage after construction will be paid for or deducted, as the case may be, at a rate corresponding with the sum total of the tender.

Parties tendering must satisfy the Government as to their ability to carry out the work and maintain it for the specified time.

Proposals addressed to the Minister of Public Works will be received up to the 22d day of JULY next.

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, 19th June, 1874. } jy7dw

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PRESENT:

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ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the fourth Section of the Act 36 Vic., chap. 55, entitled "An Act respecting Wreck and Salvage"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

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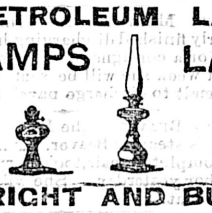
LAMPS  LAMPS

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JAMES COOPER,
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, Agent.
Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1874. } my17dw

Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

Lat. 48 deg. 47 min. 48 sec. N.
Long. 125 deg. 12 min. 52 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 19 miles.

The Tower is a square building, painted light stone color, elevated 35 feet from summit to centre of light, with detached oblong dwelling house, painted same color. The light will be visible from an Easterly bearing, parallel with the coast round to W. by N. ½ N. Cautionis hereby given that the light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of E. ½ N., as foul ground extends off the entrances to Barclay Sound.

All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
Department of Marine & Fisheries,
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